



Attorney's Docket No.: 09712-055001 / Z-200
COPY OF PAPERS
ORIGINALLY FILED

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Peter de Groot
Serial No. : 10/025,595
Filed : December 18, 2001
Title : OPTICAL SURFACE PROFILING SYSTEMS
Art Unit : 2877
Examiner : Unknown

BOX OIPE

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY

In response to the Notice of Incomplete Reply mailed May 2, 2002 (copy enclosed),
applicant as a large entity submits herewith the following:

☒ Other: Substitute Drawings (4 sheets).

It is understood that this perfects the application and no additional papers or filing fees
are required. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: May 15, 2002

Eric L. Prahl
Reg. No. 32,590

Fish & Richardson P.C.
225 Franklin Street
Boston, Massachusetts 02110-2804
Telephone: (617) 542-5070
Facsimile: (617) 542-8906

20437394.doc

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL

I hereby certify under 37 CFR §1.8(a) that this correspondence is being
deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with
sufficient postage on the date indicated below and is addressed to the
Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

May 15, 2002
Date of Deposit

Dawn M. Corey
Signature

Dawn M. Corey
Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

JUN 04 2002

COPY OF PAPERS
ORIGINALLY FILED
 COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
 UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
 WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231
 www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER
10/025,595	12/18/2001	Peter J. De Groot	09712-055001 / Z-200

 ERIC L. PRAHL
 Fish & Richardson P.C.
 225 Franklin Street
 Boston, MA 02110-2804

CONFIRMATION NO. 7937

FORMALITIES LETTER



OC000000008013260

Date Mailed: 05/02/2002

NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY (NONPROVISIONAL)
Filing Date Granted

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has received your reply on 04/15/2002 to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed 03/19/2002 and it has been entered into the nonprovisional application. The reply, however, does not include the following items required in the Notice.

The period of reply remains as set forth in the Notice. You may, however, obtain EXTENSIONS OF TIME under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) accompanied by the appropriate fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)).

A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

Customer Service Center

Initial Patent Examination Division (703) 308-1202

PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE